

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Stephen C. Porter

Serial No.: 10/694,927

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**For: VASO-OCCLUSIVE DEVICES WITH
BIOACTIVE ELEMENTS**

Group Art Unit: 3731

Confirmation No.: 5083

Examiner: Sarah K. Webb

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

M/S: AF

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 17, 2006, please consider the following amendments and remarks:

Amendment to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.